

Complete Report of the Fair in this Week's Advertiser

VOLUME VII.

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Cars of Norway and Paris Street Railway leave from Main street, Norway, and Main street, South Paris, during fair, every 15 minutes, from 6.30 a.m. to 6 p. m., crossing at Fair Grounds.

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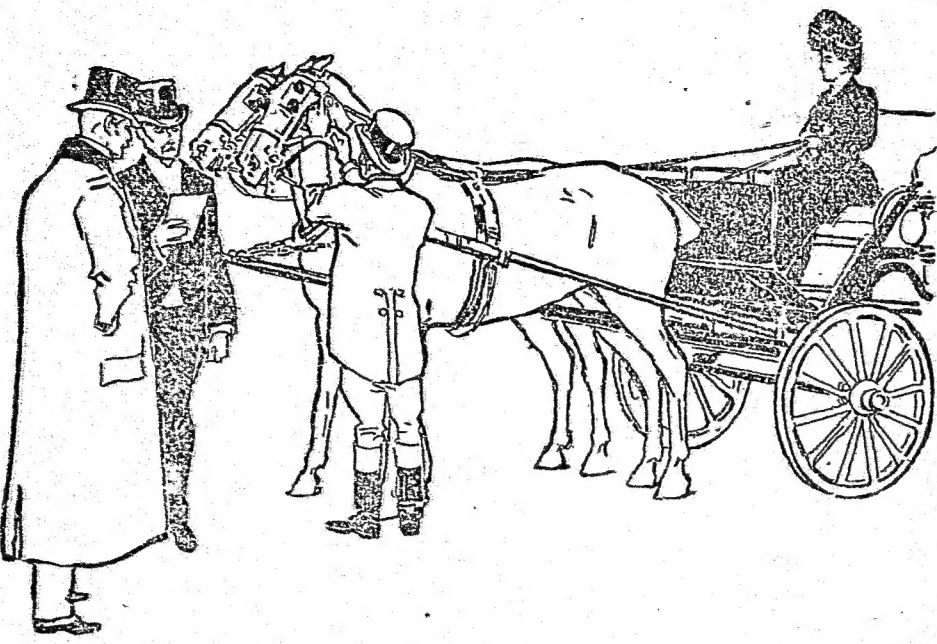
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(OXFORD COUNTY, ME.)

DAILY FAIR EDITION.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1902, NORWAY AND SOUTH PARIS, MAINE.

NUMBER 10.



JUDGING HARNESS HORSES.

Norway Band has been engaged to furnish music on the Fair grounds. Wednesday and Thursday there will be balloon ascensions by the Harold Cox Trans-Atlantic Co. acrobats and gymnasts. This company will give exhibitions on the stage, and will entertain the people between the races.

The Cattle Show Ball will occur on Wednesday evening at the Norway opera house. Music, Stearns' orchestra; hall director, Joseph Tallon.

The hall exhibits will be all completed by the second day. The hall superintendent, H. D. Hammond, is a very busy man. The halls are very attractive.

Cattle are fast coming in and Wednesday promises to have a large and fine looking lot of stock on the grounds.

There are some good horses here and the races bid fair to be interesting and exciting.

The victuallers and fakirs are so plentiful that they can apparently supply every reasonable want, and the friends and neighbors are all there to greet you.

The Officials of the Fair.

The Names of Men You Want to See if you have Exhibits or other Business at the Fair.

The men on whom the management of the fair rests are the officers and the trustees. Their names are as follows:

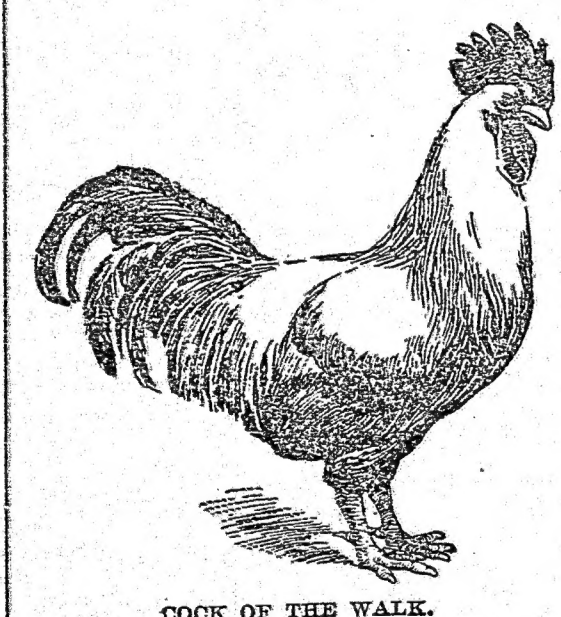
President—Wm. J. Wheeler, South Paris.
Vice-president—Henry D. Hammond, Paris.
Secretary and Treasurer—A. C. T. King, South Paris.

Trustees—James W. Libby, Hartford (North Turner post-office); Edward W. Penley, Greenwood (West Paris post-office); John Wyman, Norway; William O. Frothingham, South Paris; Eugene E. Andrews, Norway.

The officers and trustees also act as superintendents of the various departments. Of course, all entries for exhibition or participation in races or pulling matches are made with the secretary and he will be busy during every moment. The different departments outside of entries will have the following superintendents:

Grounds—President Wheeler and Vice-president Hammond.
Stock—Trustees Libby, Penley and Wyman.
Horses—Trustees Frothingham and Andrews.
Hall—Vice-president Hammond.
Committees of award—The division superintendents.

The annual meeting of the Society for the election of new officers will be held in the assembly room in the second story of the L part of the main building at one o'clock in the afternoon of the last day of the fair.



COCK OF THE WALK.

Preparing for the Fair.
Monday dawned bright and pleasant, and there was a sting in the air that gave life and inspiration, and made us feel a hope of good weather for the fair. It was more than a hope, it was a promise. Many people even at an early hour went to the grounds to get ready for the coming days.

There was a merry hum of activity on the grounds, Monday morning. Here and there were knots of people all busy preparing for their exhibits and booths. Secretary King was busy, and reported that entries are coming in steadily and more early than usual.

Albee's restaurant was being arranged for the business of the week. In the upper hall the sound of hammer vied with the sound of voices as the Grange people prepared their stalls, and other exhibitors were beginning early to get ready.

The South Paris Congregational society, Twitcomb Bros. and Alvin Lovejoy were opening up and getting ready. The amusement people were busy setting up their tents and getting ready to occupy their space. Those that were noticeable in the first morning, like the County fair in years past, and some of them have been here for so many years that they may almost be said to have as regular customers as any regular business place.

The same is equally if not more true of those who sell eatables and drinks. The merry-go-round was partially on the grounds but was being set up, while the missing portions of the equipment were being gathered.

The cattle had not begun to come in, and there were but few people at the pens. A number of teams were hitched there.

Down by the grand stand workmen were getting ready for the Harold Cox attractions, a high scaffold was being erected and firmly braced for the aerial acts of the performers.

From the track came the hoof beat of trotters out for exercise, while the horse-owners were going here and there or gathered in groups, all talking the prospects of good races and fair days.

There were a number of agricultural implements outside the first floor of the grand stand that will be put within bug-

no exhibits were being put inside, Monday forenoon.

There were a few people present whose interest drew them out on the grounds, but in the main, every one was busy, having a plenty to do.

Outside, Manager W. P. Morton of the Paris Advertising Co. was painting a new advertising sign. He has painted several new ones and freshened up the old ones, removing that played out appearance of faded signs.

Up in the grand stand the chairs have been placed opposite the judges' stand and are ready for use.

How the Grounds Look.

The grass is unusually green and fresh and gives a most attractive appearance. It all looks neat and nice about. The horse stalls below the grand stand as well as some detached buildings have been resingled, and considerable work has been done replacing absent boards on the fences, stalls and pens.

The horse stalls are in good shape, being kept up and not suffered to decay. The track is in good condition, having been used at the time of the August trot, and its condition will help in making good time in the races.

To Catch the Pennies.

J. B. Langbois, Bangor, is one of the old amusement standbys of the fair. He has a baseball race with Bambo, Hambo and ten other 'bos to throw at. He has also a musical target.

Augustus Roy, Old Orchard, has also a baseball throwing rack. 31 doll heads with hair of varying tints of red are thrown at. He also has a shooting gallery and cane board.

James Haley, Newport, R. I., runs what he calls the Newport fish pond. You catch a fish and the number of it gives you a prize of jewelry.

Sam Anderson of Bar Harbor has a combination knife and cane board on the right of the midway, and a separate knife board on the left. His knives have deer horn handles and look well.

Archie T. Heath of Gilead has set up a merry-go-round. It is the center of attraction for the children and many that are older who like to spin through the air on the flying horses.

To Feed the Public.

The usual caterers have opened their booths for business. Their prices are within the reach of everyone, and the food is excellent and attractively served.

Mrs. Albee of Lewiston has the same place as usual, the building between the carriage and pedestrian gateways at the entrance. They have meals at all hours. The Congregational society of South Paris opened their eating house, Monday morning. It is attractively trimmed with evergreen, and the ladies have been at work there for nearly a week before the fair. The booth has been entirely resingled. They serve many diners daily.

Next to the South Paris ladies booth is the one of the Congregational society, Norway. These people make a powerful bid for the patronage of the people and feed hundreds of people.

Twitcomb Bros. of Oxford have their usual booth, the fourth below the hall, and have planned on feeding lots of the hungry.

Alvin Lovejoy, Oxford, has the booth facing the hall. He serves dinners of chicken, beans and meats.

The first tent on the midway at the left is that of O. W. Spencer of Portland. It is devoted to the sale of candy made on the grounds, salted peanuts and ice cream.

J. O. Elwell, Brunswick, is the hot frankfort man. He sold lots of them, last year, and will try to this. He also has salted peanuts.

Frank Elwell of Brunswick has a stand and deals in pickled clams, frankforts and light non-alcoholic beer.

Harry Dalton of Portland has a stand where he sells Murdock & Freeman's bottled soft drinks and also something to smoke.

W. W. Kerrigan of Portland is selling what are termed soft drinks, ginger ale, raspberry, orange and birch beer, and a lot of others.

The Universalist ladies, Norway, have the building they have occupied for some years and are ready to feed those who patronize them in first class order.

Freeland Howe went to Upper Dam, Monday, where he will make his headquarters for a week's sporting in the Rangeleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Abbott of Woodsville, N. H., drove to Norway with their team, Monday, and are visiting at Frank Kimball's. Roland Kimball has spent his vacation with them and they brought him home to attend school.

The Detailed Program.

The Official Program giving the Principal Events and Attractions.

The program as arranged gives one an idea of what these will be, but only an idea, and remembering the fairs of the past we study it eagerly to see if the promise is as great this year as usual. It seems so to be.

First Day.

In the forenoon, entering and arranging stock and articles for exhibition.
10 a. m. races. 5.30 a. m. to 5.30 p. m. Green horses, purse \$100.
Harold Cox's Trans-Atlantic Attractions.

Second Day.

General exhibition of neat stock and horses. 9.30 a. m. Committee's examination of town to 10.30 a. m. Committee's examination in Nos. 7 to 15 inclusive.

10.30 a. m. all other Committee's examinations. 11.00 green horses shown by the owner. 11.30 work horses.

1 p. m. drawing oxen, 6 ft. 6 in. and under. Drawing horses (in pairs), 1,2 to 1,400 pounds.

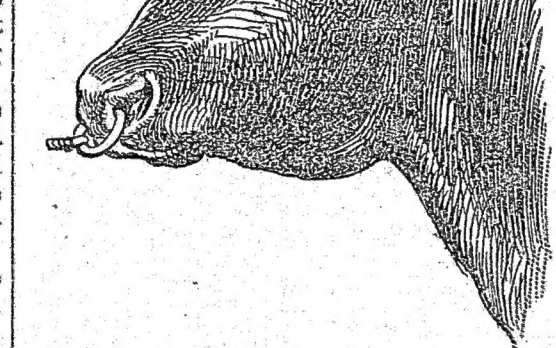
1 p. m. races. 2.24 class, purse \$300. 2.25 class, purse \$200.
Harold Cox's Trans-Atlantic Attractions.

Third Day.

9.00 a. m. drawing oxen 7 ft. and over; following over 6 ft. 6 in. and less than 7 ft. Drawing steers.

Drawing horses (in pairs), 1,6 to 1,200 pounds. Drawing oxen, sweepstakes.

9.00 a. m. gens' driving horses. Purses \$35. 10.0 a. m. 2.47 class, purse \$100. 1 p. m. annual meeting of society. 1.40, race, 2.20 free for all, purse \$50. 2.27 class, purse \$200.
Harold Cox's Trans-Atlantic Attractions.



RED POLLED BULL.

Down by the Cattle Pens.

The first lot of cattle that came Monday were brought by H. G. Lord of Denmark. They arrived shortly after 1 o'clock, and comprised 12 cows, 3 bulls and some calves.

About four o'clock a long procession came in. It was a team from Sumner and comprised 23 yokes of oxen and steers. One of the largest that we have seen, and indicates that the patient plodding ox is not gone by.

Hotel Arrivals, Monday.

Elm House.

F. H. Perkins, Boston.
Ervin D. Hathaway, Portland.
J. M. Nash, New York.
C. B. Hanson, Boston.
W. E. Walsh, Auburn.
R. E. Whittle, Berwick.
F. F. Sterling, Yarmouth.
Gilbert, South Framingham, Mass.

Beal's Hotel.

Maynard S. Bird and wife, Rockland.
L. Dearborn, Boston.
D. F. Dulles, Lynn.
W. H. Norton and wife, Portland.
Rohr, Goudenough, Boston.
Charles P. Kimball, Andover.
E. G. Dow, Lynn.
W. E. Walsh, Auburn.
J. H. Dyer, Portland.

H. E. Eversley, Portland.
A. E. Murray, Lewiston.
A. C. Burdick, Lewiston.
Norman Bell, Dearborn, Mich.
O. B. Robert, Portland.
O. S. Darling, Auburn.
A. E. Darling, Auburn.
B. F. Lester, Lewiston.
Chas. C. Warren, Fryeburg.
H. F. Horne, Cambridgeport, Mass.
C. C. Files, Portland.

Andrews House.

F. B. MacLean, Boston.
O. G. Damon, Andover.
Norman Bell, Dearborn, Mich.
O. C. Calkins, Chicago.
P. E. Emery, Portland.
John P. Swasey, Canton.

Heard on the Grounds.

S. H. Abbott of Waterford has a sow with a record. In the last four litters she had 84 pigs, and the last litter numbered 19.

CASCO.

The Schools Commence.

The schools in town began Monday, Sept. 8. Teachers as follows:
Bridgton Road—Belle Froctor.
South Casco—Mills Mann.
Cook's Mills—Ethel Robinson.
Quentin—Joyce Haines.
Casco Village—Gladys Spurr.
Mayberry Hill—Belle J. Leach.
Shades—Martha P. Maxwell.
Webb's Mills—Vioe Lamb.

Little Rigby fair, Casco, will be Oct. 8, 9 and 10.

There was a social dance at the track, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. R. E. Gay and Irving Kemp are teaching in Otisfield.

Marilla Curtis has returned to her school in Putney, Vt.

Frank Grover spent Saturday and Sunday with his father in Stoneham.

Mrs. Washington Edwards is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Levi Dingley of Otisfield.

Augustus Cortis of Yarmouthville was at M. L. Leach's a few days last week.

Myra Eastman, a teacher in Portland, is visiting at her father's, Moses East, Maine.

Most of the summer company and boarders in town have returned to their homes.

Rev. J. Albert Nichols has been attending the Rockland camp-meeting for a week.

Rev. B. H. Penwarden of Phillipsburg, also Mrs. Frederic Burgess of Shadiscoe, are visiting at Robert Brackett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Mayberry, Mrs. V. R. Edwards and daughter, Hazel, have been visiting relatives in Portland.

The O. I. C. held an entertainment and sale in the schoolhouse for the dedication of the new bell and belfry, Friday evening. The young people afterwards adjourned to the hall where a pleasant social was enjoyed by all.

Our Seventh Annual.

This is our seventh annual bow to the public in the form of a DAILY.

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On the second of the great show, three thousand copies of the paper will be given away.

Be sure if you get one and take it home so all in the family can see it and hear the news of the fair.

Horses.

H. C. Ellis has charge of Potential Russell, Farmachenee; Lelia Wilkes owned by F. O. Walker, Rumford Falls; Lady Chestnut owned by W. C. Stevens, Ridgelyville; Angie Wilkes, 2.24, E. M. Holland, Ridgelyville; Helen M., owned by Ellis and Stevens, Rumford Falls; Alday H., owner J. F. Hall, Rumford Falls; Orphan Wilkes, 2.24, owner H. D. Hastings, Newry; The Cuban, F. O. Walker, Rumford Falls.

William Gregg, Andover, enters, Aloy-one Priscilla, colt by Aloyone, Polly H., mare.

E. E. Howe, Hanover, has Carlotta, a gray pacer.

H. G. Fletcher has James T., and Nancy Grayson entered.

J. F. Howland has the famous stallion American Law.

Biscoe Hall, Bethel has the stallion El Sable by Sable Wilkes.

Other horses entered are:
Gladus, 2.24, owned by Erving. Jennie B., gentlemen's driving class, owned by Ray Bragdon, Otisfield; Bonnie Boy stallion, owned by W. E. Fernald, Bridgton.

Elida H., bay mare owned by Ed Pike South Waterford.

Hazel L., bleach mare owned by Forest McDaniel.

Lico, 2.30, by Westland, owned by E. N. Greeley, Portland.

Conductor Dewey, 2.18, by Romeo, owned by E. A. Randall, Portland.

Dr. Jack, bay stallion, 2.27, by Masco, owned by A. H. Jack, Denmark.

Gladys Bell, 2.29, by Ensign, owned by A. H. Jack.

Edmond, 2.16, by Nelson, 2.09, entered by Dana March, Bridgton.

Hinette, 4-year-old colt, by Higlewood, owned by E. W. Hall, Bethel.

King Croix, 2.30, by St. Croix, owned by L. A. Bartlett, Bethel.

Anodyne, 2.24, by Prince Medium, owned by L. A. Bartlett, Bethel.

Joker M., 2.27, owned by J. I. Millett, Norway.

Dandy Boy, 2.21, owned by Arthur Walters, Berlin, N. H.

Nancy Grayson, 2.34, by Tennesson Wilkes, owned by H. T. Fletcher, South Paris.

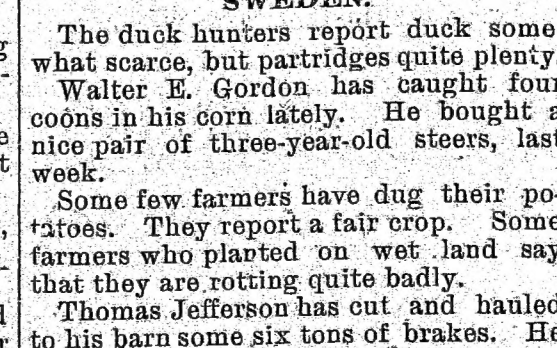
Chubb, 2.28, by Fearnought, owned by Wheeler & Thayer, South Paris.

Helen, 2.24, by Robinson D., owned by James Fledge, Norway.

Machinery and Implements.

Under the corner of the poultry shed, A. S. Noyes representing Lunt & Noyes of Boston is showing up the Olds gasoline motor. He has a 4 1/2 h. p. engine that is a star.

F. C. Merrill has a good show of the space under the poultry shed next to the horse stalls. He shows there 17 plows. The O. K. swivel showing the old and improved styles of swivel lock, the O. K. level land plow, and the Paris plow, a Planet weeder, and a cultivator.



CHAMPION BRONZE TURKEY.

SWEDEN.

The duck hunters report duck somewhat scarce, but partridges quite plenty. Walter E. Gordon has caught four ones in his corn lately. He bought a nice pair of three-year-old steers, last week.

Some few farmers have dug their potatoes. They report a fair crop. Some farmers who planted on wet land say that they are rotting quite badly.

Thomas Jefferson has out and hauled to his barn some six tons of brakes. He is nearly 80 years of age, still there are but few men that can follow him with a scythe.

RUMFORD POINT.

Geo. Newman of Canton was in town, Friday.

Gus, Morse of East Waterford was in town, Monday.

John M. Cummings and wife of Norway were in town, Wednesday.

Mrs. Reed Evans attended the fair at Bethel, also Mark Elliott and wife, H. H. Hutcheson and Dr. Abbott.

J. H. Yeth and wife of St. Louis, Mrs. Royal Small and son of Ridgelyville visited Roscoe Knight and family, Thursday.

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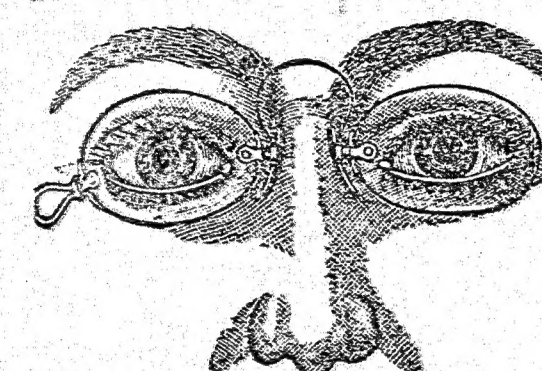
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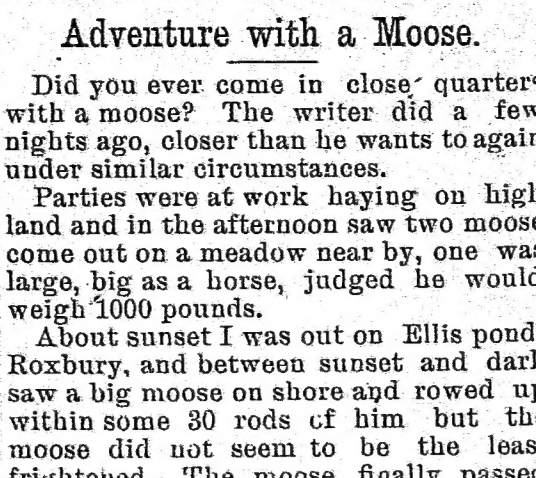


Coming to the Fair.

Set the doughnuts frying, wife, cook the pie and cake, Bread and meat, the staff of life, don't forget to bake.
For company is coming to go to county fair. Quite enough to go all round, and maybe some to spare.
Jane will bring her family, William's coming.
Cousin Kate will bring the babe, little Peeka-bow.
Fannie wrote she'd bring the twins, told how they had grown.
They're into mischief constantly and can't be left alone.
Joe is going to take his girl, so she's coming next.
Says he'll have their picture taken for a souvenir.
At the fair 'twas first they met, just a year ago; Now they're really going to wed, Joe has told me so.
You and I must surely go, - listen, Mary Jane, - All the folks we used to know we shall see again.
Let the dress you're making go, and your old one wear.
Anything is style, you know, at the county fair.
Coming in the starlight, ere the break of day, When the frosty meadows cold and silent lay, Coming from the city you will see them there, On the early morning train, coming to the fair, Coming from the mansion and the cottage home,
From the regions far and near, lo, in crowds they come.
From the schoolroom and the shop you will meet them there.
Every passer-by will stop at the county fair.
Coming in packed wagon loads, coming on the train,
Coming on electric car, echo the refrain!
Children, parents, grandfathers, all, - you will see them there.
Plain and pretty, short and tall, at the county fair.
Uncles, aunts and cousins all, company galore! All the folks who lived in town coming back once more;
Everybody that we know, whatever their clan or name.
Paupers in he motley row with citizens of fame.
Horses, cattle, sheep and goats, falling into line,
All the wealth the farm denotes, feathered fowl and swine,
Vegetables and orchard fruits, you will see them there.
All the garden's raw recruits at the county fair.
Coming to the county fair, coming right along, Highways, by ways teaming with the crop throng;
Kinsmen, neighbors, friends and foes, age and youth are there.
Spick and span in Sunday clothes, coming to the fair,
South Paris, Me. **JULIA E. ARBOTT.**

Adventure with a Moose.

Did you ever come in close quarters with a moose? The writer did a few nights ago, closer than he wants to again under similar circumstances.
Fannies were at work haying on high land and in the afternoon saw two moose come out on a meadow near by, one was large, big as a horse, judged he would weigh 1000 pounds.
About sunset I was out on Ellis pond, Roxbury, and between sunset and dark saw a big moose on shore and rowed up within some 30 rods of him but the moose did not seem to be the least frightened. The moose finally passed



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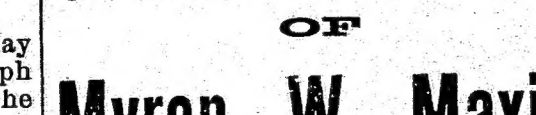
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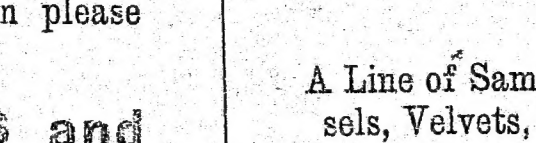
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Fannies were at work haying on high land and in the afternoon saw two moose come out on a meadow near by, one was large, big as a horse, judged he would weigh 1000 pounds.
About sunset I was out on Ellis pond, Roxbury, and between sunset and dark saw a big moose on shore and rowed up within some 30 rods of him but the moose did not seem to be the least frightened. The moose finally passed



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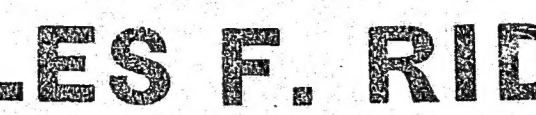
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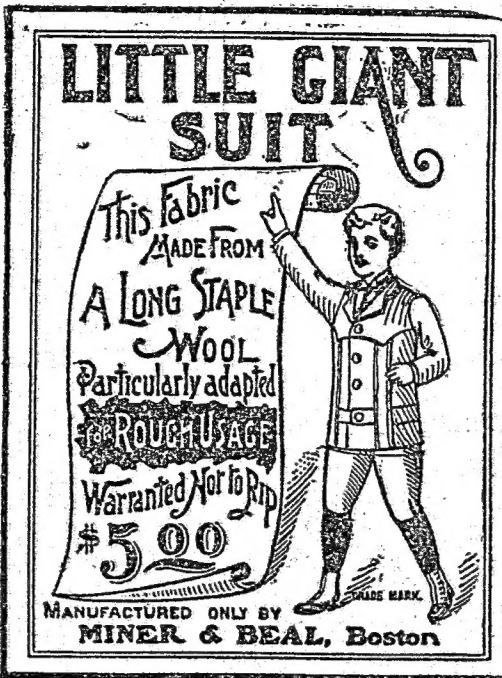
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Promoter, ch. g., V. F. Kendall.
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Sisco, blk. f., W. A. Nelson.
Nancy Grayson, b. m., H. G. Fletcher.
Scribner, b. g., F. H. Wiggins.
King Croix, b. g., L. U. Bartlett.
Octone, ch. s., W. M. Gregg.
Gimpie, b. g., C. J. Russell.
James T., br. g., James Thompson.
Alf. Wilkes, blk. s., A. E. Russell.
2:27 Class, Purse \$200.
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Stadis Belle, b. m., A. H. Jack.
Ruby Wilkes, b. m., L. Cummings.
Rite, br. g., R. O. Jordan.
Orphan Wilkes, b. s., H. S. Hastings.
Wilson, br. g., S. Bartlett.
Chubb, ch. g., F. H. Pumps.
2:34 Class, Purse \$200.
Chubb, ch. g., W. J. Wheeler.
Joker M., b. g., J. L. Millett.
Helen, br. m., James Fiedler.
Nancy Grayson, b. m., H. G. Fletcher.
Topoka, ch. g., F. H. Wiggins.
Octone, ch. g., W. M. Gregg.
Umpire, b. g., C. J. Russell.
James T., br. g., James Thompson.
Andros, br. g., L. U. Bartlett.
Dr. Jack, b. s., A. H. Jack.
Sam, br. g., C. J. Russell.
Stoneham, b. g., Newcomb.
Pure Galt, b. g., Tarbox.
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Julian, br. s., Jordan.
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Odontander, Tenney.
Tenney, s., Tenney.
Honesty, b. m., Hall.
Clinton Maid, b. m., Russell.
Polly H., b. m., Gregg.
Elmer S., g., Fiedler.
Alec H., ch. g., Hall.
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Angie Wilkes, br. m., Holland.
Meader Boy, br. g., Fogg.
Remie, b. g., Foss.
Hallie Rollins, b. m., Foss.
Bonnyne, br. g., Bartlett.
Dandy Boy, b. g., Walcott.
Edmund, b. g., March.

Organization of the Association.

The first fair held in Oxford county opened in Norway on Oct. 19, 1842, with an address delivered by Francis O. J. Smith of Portland, and the initial meeting followed an enthusiastic gathering of citizens of the county, who had labored for a long time to form the Oxford County Agricultural Society. Farmers in Turner and Livermore were invited to cooperate with the Norway and Paris farmers when they first broached the subject of a yearly opportunity to show the products of the soil.

A charter had been secured by some of those interested during the session of the legislature in 1837, and although steps were taken then to organize the society nothing definite came of the movement. Later on, however, in November, 1841, a meeting was held at the court house in Paris, when the Hon. Job Prince of Livermore and Isaac Harlow of Paris were chosen chairman and secretary respectively. Another meeting was held in the following December, when a committee was chosen to draft by-laws and a constitution, and their report was accepted.

SOUTH WATERFORD.
Hans Muller is working for the Oxford Mining Co.

The Mason family have returned to Rhode Island.

Myrtle Kneeland is teaching school in West Sumner.

J. B. Hall is visiting relatives in Fryeburg and Conway.

G. L. Kimball and family have been visiting in Harrison and Bridgton.

Bart Nelson, who is at work in New Hampshire, was in town, last week.

Frank Shaw has so far improved as to be up and dressed and out of doors some.

Mrs. Albert Stanwood has gone West to pass the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Murphy.

W. Kingman, F. Sanderson, P. Brown and L. Merrill have been shingling Mrs. Abbott's buildings.

Summer company is fast leaving. As a whole they are a very pleasant, courteous class of visitors to meet and we regret to have them leave.

Ernest Pike will enter his stock at the fair, this year. Mr. Pike has been very successful in stock raising and we shall look for him to take several prizes.

BROWNFIELD.
Eli Bean and wife are spending the week in Fryeburg.

Mrs. Annie Linscott entertained the Universalist circle, Thursday afternoon.

Caleb Prentiss and wife of Lynn, Mass., are the guests of J. L. Prink and wife.

Albert Blake is having the roof of his store painted. Parris Rogers is at work for him.

Nelson Lane and family have moved into the house, lately vacated by Mrs. Chapman.

George Blake has commenced making repairs upon the house he recently purchased of L. R. Giles.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Parsonsfield are spending a few weeks with his grandparents, Ivory Brown and wife.

Eva Carpenter, who is teacher in the Bartlett district, was the guest of Helen M. Harmon, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Witham of Denmark and Mrs. Julia G. Davis of Portland, visited at O. W. Harmon's one day this week.

Rev. A. J. Cameron and family will spend their vacation at Kennebunkport. They go this week and will remain until the first Sunday in October.

Rev. A. J. Cameron preached a memorial sermon upon the late President McKinley, Sunday forenoon, to a large and appreciative congregation. In the evening his text was upon the second coming of Christ.

S. B. & Z. S. PRINCE, Main Street, Norway, Me.

AN INVITATION.

Of course, you're going to "The Fair".

This year we are too busy to be there, But in our store we'd like to see you.

And at the door with a smile will meet you.

Do you desire a cape for the weather cold?

We have more now than our rod will hold.

In price from five to twenty they range;

Longer than ever they are for a change.

The colors are many, the styles are more,

For we've a better line than ever before.

Do you ask what for a coat is the style?

To tell you all would take quite a while.

Blouses and jackets, full length and three-quarters—

It takes all kinds to become all the daughters.

One of kersey is made, lined with satin throughout,

With a lovely fur collar; 'twould please you, no doubt

At eighteen dollars; 'tis cheap, to be sure—

Should we have to re-order we'll have to ask more.

Perhaps a cloak you bought last year.

If so, the style is all right, never fear,

But wear it now and buy something new

That you're needing more for the house or for you.

This year for the first time we bought fall suits,

And, as the girls put it, "They are just beauteous."

We have a full line all ready to show

Of underwear, just right where the wind doth blow.

Our hosiery, too, is here for the season;

To go with cold feet there is not any reason.

The outing flannels are prettier than ever before,

And more of them than ever we show on one floor.

Our blankets are here. We have many new shawls;

For these we have had such a lot of loud calls

That to Michigan for a good line we did send;

With one you need not fear the cold, my friend.

Do you need, this year, new puffs for your bed?

If so, just look at our print, which we said

We would sell for four cents for a little time

To give ladies a bargain, not to help out this rhyme.

Well, the store is full from one end to the other

Of goods which to show and price is no bother.

Your trip to the Fair will not be complete

Unless on your way you stop on Main street;

And whatever you need or would just like to see

Call in and ask for, no matter how small it may be, of

Brownfield Centennial.

Friday, Sept. 12, the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the incorporation of this town was observed at the Stickney homestead. At 12 o'clock a dinner was served to relatives and a few elderly people, after which a reception was held from 2 to 4 o'clock. During this time old hymns were sung and a short sketch of a few of the old families of the town was given by Rev. A. J. Cameron, pastor of the Congregational church.

Letters were read from the following who are natives of this place: Hon. Paris Gibson of Montana, O. B. Gibson of San Francisco, Susan Stickney Wakefield of Stockton, Cal., N. W. Rice of Boston, Samuel Stickney of the Philippine Islands.

A large number were present including Col. A. G. Paine, a native of Brownfield, now of New York, who came expressly to attend the celebration; Mrs. Whiting of Cambridge, Mass., Mrs. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Tarbox of Fryeburg, Mrs. Addie McDonald of Conway, N. H.

It was a perfect autumn day and a very pleasant time was enjoyed.

NORTH FRYEBURG.
Peleg Guptill is in poor health.

Adeline Johnson has returned to Oakdale.

Addie Gray of Bridgton is at work for Will Hatch.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Charles were in Portland, a few days last week.

Charlotte Allard of West Lovell is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Brickett.

Wilson Webb and E. S. Hutchins are taking in the fair at Norway, this week.

Mrs. L. O. Giles has some ten or a dozen boarders. We think she must be busy.

Mrs. Miranda Ames and daughter are at work for W. R. Sturdivant for a few weeks.

John Stevens has returned from Conway, where he has been at work for a short time.

Work at the corn factory started up Saturday, for a part of a day, will start again, Tuesday.

Another hard frost, Sunday night. We hope the heavy fog Monday morning took it out without much damage.

MASON.
Eugene Mills of Boston is visiting his father, N. G. Mills.

Elden Mills is at home from South Waterford with a sore hand.

Gus Grover of Bethel visited at S. O. Grover's, last Saturday.

Milton Penley of Bethel was in this vicinity, last Friday, en' business.

R. K. Morrill and wife of Norway visited at Ernest Morrill's, last Friday.

Roy Grover and family of West Bethel spent the Sabbath at his father's, S. O. Grover's.

Mrs. Roscoe Mason and Mrs. Anna Stiles of Berlin visited their uncle, Addison Beggs, and went to the Bethel fair, last week.

Bert Perry and family returned to their home in Boston, last Friday, also Mrs. Arthur Hutchinson to her home at Reading, Mass.

"Pshaw, you're afraid!"

"Yes, I am. I'm afraid of being sorry—and it's the only thing I'm afraid of in this world!"

It was a scrap of a street conversation, and the two girls who spoke were out of sight before the words had died on the air. But one listener, at least, was stronger for having heard them.

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After 10 p. m. leave Norway every 20 minutes to 10 o'clock, and leave South Paris at 7:15 and 45 minutes after each hour to 11 p. m. Cars will run later for dances, entertainments, or other gatherings.
At crowded times cars will be run double.
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For Lewiston, Portland and Boston, 4:30 a.m.; 8:30 a.m.; 4:10 p.m.
For Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 6 a.m.; 10:10 p.m.
For Island Pond and way stations 8:30 p.m.

ARRIVALS.

From Boston, Portland, and Lewiston, 1:30 a.m.; 5:30 p.m.; 10:20 p.m.
From Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 5:50 a.m.; 4:30 p.m.
From Island Pond and way stations, 8:40 a.m. Trains leave South Paris station about four minutes later than at the Norway station.
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